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Powers of Military Commanders.

The clerks at the Attorney General's office e busy to-day in copying out the supplemenl decision on the powers of military commanrs under the reconstruction act. In order to oid errors in telegraphing, the opinion will distributed to the press by mail.

The Deposed Civil Officers.

The Mobile officials have had an interview ith all of the members of the Cabinet, and ve their first conference with the President morrow afternoon. Like Governor Wells nd others in similar position they expect no tion in their case until the legal opinion is ven.

Immigration Meeting.

A convention assembles to day in the neighoring city of Alexandria, called by Virginia rmers, to induce immigration to that State. he people of the eastern portion of the State ok upon the movement as one of great imortance.

Registration in Virginia.

General Schofield's registration order goes to effect to-morrow. The Virginia journals ree that every white man not disqualified ill be registered. This will avoid delay and ose the registration a month earlier than was nticipated.

Indictment Quashed.

Information has been received here that the ttorney General of Louisiana has had the inictment quashed which was found by the rand Jury of New Orleans last summer gainst the members of the Convention which et there, but whose deliberations were ended y the riot. The indictment charged the mem-rs with an unlawful assembly.

The Prize Fight.

The city is full to-night of visitors, on their ay to the prize fight, which is to come off toorrow morning in Virginia, on the Potomac, n amphitheater holding several thousand has een constructed in order that spectators may e the exhibition. Some of the Diplomatic corps have gone. An intimation has prevailed o-night that General Schofield will capture the rowd with a squad of cavalry.

Ohio and Indiana War Claims

The War Department to-day issued an order irecting that General Casey, Colonel Sitreaves and John B. Stonehouse, Commisioners appointed under the act of Congress to imburse the State of Ohio for money expended for the United States, in enrolling and quipping the militia to aid in suppressing the ebellion, assemble at Columbus, Ohio, on uly first, for the purpose of taking the necesary oaths, and entering upon the performance f this duty. A similar order was lso issued directing the Commissioners under he same act for Indiana, Messrs. John S. Phelps, of Missouri, F. L. Woodford of Kenucky, and James C. Robinson, of Illinois, to neet on July 9th, at Indianapolis, and go to ork on the claims in that State.

Land Register.

The President has appointed Wm. N. Johnon, as Register of the new Land Office, at Sacamento, California.

The Grecian Minister.

Count Ragunbi, the first Minister ever accredited by Greece to this county, arrived to night. He will be presented on Friday officially o the President and Secretary Seward.

The Crops.

Nine-tenths of all the reports received at the Agricultural Department during the past month agree as to favorable prospects for the coming harvest. Never, according to the Commissioner's summing up, has there been so general an expression of encouragement.

Colored Alderman.

Ex-Mayor Withers, of Mobile, received a dispatch from Mobile to-night, stating that Gen. Swayne had to-day appointed a colored man Alderman of that city.

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THE SURRATT CASE.

In the Criminal Court, in the Surratt case, this forenoon, Judge Fisher, in a lengthy opinion, granted the motion of the United States Attorney, and quashed the array of jurors. He then discharged the present jury, and ordered twenty-six talesmen to be summoned, in order to select a new one. The Court then adjourned.

REV. PAUL BAGLEY,

Missionary to Japan, China, India, &c., lately addressed a note to Secretary Seward referring to the ancient unrepealed edict making Christianity a capital offense in Japan, to which Acting Secretary F. W. Seward, on June 4th, replied that the subject has already been brought to the attention of the Japanese Government.

A PERSONAL APPEAL.

Mr. Withers, late Mayor of Mobile, made a personal appeal to the President this morning for reinstatement in the office.

THE CONOVER CASE AGAIN.

Judge Lander, counsel in the case of Conover, convicted of perjury in the Criminal Court, presented to Judge Olin the affidavit of the prisoner as a basis of a motion for a new trial. The affidavit sets forth that he recently discovered evidence which tends to show that some witnesses were untruthful. Judge Olin expressed the wish that the motion be made in general term. It is understood Judge Lander subsequently abandoned the intention of filing the affidavit, and Conover will probably be taken to Albany penitentiary in a day or two.

FROM LOCKHAVEN, PA.

Six Buildings Burned---Loss $40,000.

LOCKHAVEN, PA., June 12.—White's Hotel, a drug store, part of the Fallon House, Town & Co.'s steam saw mill and lumber yard, and a livery stable were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss $40,000. Fifteen horses perished.

Telegraph Cable to Cuba---Land Line Completed.

GAINESVILLE, FLA., June 12.—The land line between this place and Santa Rosa, to connect the latter point by marine cable with Havana, is completed. The entire line, 275 miles long, was constructed in thirty-seven and a half days, under the energetic superintendence of Major Heiss. The cable to Cuba will be laid in July.

Eight Hour Law Passed in Connecticut.

HARTFORD, CONN., June 12.—The eight hour bill passed the House to-day by a nearly unanimous vote. The bill goes into effect from the day of its passage.

Fire in Burlington, Vt.

BURLINGTON, VT., June 12.—The Howard Hotel, carriage factory of Bostwick & Co., and several stables were burnt last night. Loss $30,000, partly insured.

Sprung a Leak.

BOSTON, June 12.—The brig [illegible] from Boston, May 29, for San Francisco, put into Provincetown last night, leaking 600 strokes per hour in a rough sea. The leak is in the rudder-post, which will be repaired and the vessel proceed soon.

The Raft Nonpareil.

BANDY HOOK, June 12.—The raft Nonpareil, for Europe, sailed from here with a fair wind, and cleared the bar this morning.

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EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Napoleon to Visit the Czar and King of Prussia.

Proposed Reduction of European Armies

Isabella to Visit Paris in July.

Returning Calls.

PARIS, June 12.—It is reported that Napoleon and Eugenie intend to visit the Czar and King of Prussia at their respective capitals early in the coming autumn.

Reduction of European Armies.

PARIS, Evening, June 12.—The proposition for a simultaneous reduction of the military establishments of all the great European powers is much talked of here, and it is said the project does not meet with an unfavorable reception in official quarters.

North German Parliament.

BERLIN, Evening, June 12.—The second session of the North German Parliament will commence next August, in this city.

Queen Isabella's Visit to Paris.

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London Money Market.

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Breadstuffs quiet. Corn closed at a decline of 6d. Sales of mixed western at 35s 6d. Wheat, barley, oats and peas unchanged.

Provisions unchanged to market irregular. Pork declined to 76s 6d for prime Eastern mess. Beef steady; sales of prime Eastern mess at 102s 6d. Lard steady at 74s 6d. Bacon higher, closing at 51s 6d for Cumberland cut. Middles. Cheese lower; prime American 64s 6d cwt.

Petroleum—Spirits turpentine declined 6d, quoted at 29s 6d.

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Frankfort Money Market.

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Antwerp Petroleum Market.

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FROM RICHMOND.

The Republican Party Harmonized---A Convention Called for August 1st---Revenue Receipts from Tobacco.

RICHMOND, June 12.—This morning the two committees appointed by the two wings of the Republican party at the conference last night, met Senator Wilson and three other delegates from Union League Clubs of New York, Philadelphia and Boston, at the Ballard House, where all existing divisions of sentiments were adjusted. Hon. J. M. Botts accepted on behalf of the friends of the Charlottesville convention a proposition for a joint convention of the two wings, as follows:

To the Unconditional Union Men of Virginia:

The Republican State committee and the undersigned citizens of the State of Virginia, who have avowed ourselves unconditional Union men and members of the great Republican party of the United States, call on all others of like conviction throughout the State not to throw away this golden opportunity to rescue ourselves, our children and our State from the hands of those who have brought nothing but war, desolation, want and wretchedness upon our land, to meet in general convention in the city of Richmond as delegates, on the third Charlottesville, on August 1st next, at noon, at the African church, for the purpose of extending and perfecting the organization of the Republican party, commenced by the Convention assembled at Richmond on the 17th of April last.

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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania.

Procession of Knights---Annual Address.

Installation of Officers---The Banquet.

The Sir Knights, in attendance at the Annual Conclave of the Knight Templars of Pennsylvania, in session in this city, assembled at Masonic Hall yesterday afternoon at one o'clock, for the purpose of proceeding to the Academy of Music, to witness the installation of the officers elect of the Grand Commandery. It had been anticipated that four or five hundred Sir Knights would participate in the demonstration, but owing to the inclement condition of the weather, only about one-half that number reported for inspection. As it had been many years since a Masonic procession took place in this city, the desire to witness it was general, and the streets along the route were crowded with people, who manifested their positions, notwithstanding a portion of the time the rain poured down in torrents.

THE PROCESSION.

At half-past two o'clock, the procession was formed at Masonic Hall by the Marshal, Sir Knight George Neeld, assisted by Sir Knights Wm. D. Spilsbig, David M. Watt and Isaac M. Broome, and, preceded by an excellent brass band, passed over the route previously designated. The Knights were generally attired in the fatigue dress of the order, consisting of black clothes, navy cap, ornamented with gold or silver bands, red cross, sword, belt, baldrick and white gloves. A number of the officers wore black frock coats, shoulder knots, black chapeau with white plume, and buff gauntlets. The display was very fine, and we noticed in the ranks a number of our most prominent and influential citizens.

INSTALLATION CEREMONIES.

The procession arrived at the Academy of Music shortly after three o'clock, and the Sir Knights filed into the parquette, which had been reserved for their accommodation. The boxes and galleries had already been filled with ladies and gentlemen, who had been provided with tickets of admission. The officers of the Grand Commandery and the officers elect occupied the stage.

After the Sir Knights had been seated, a number of amateur vocalists, under the leadership of Mr. John B. Blakeley, of Philadelphia, sang several appropriate odes, when the proceedings were opened with prayer by the Grand Prelate, Rev. J. K. Dreibelbis, as follows:

The Grand Commander, Sir Knight Robert Pitcairn then introduced Sir Knight Rev. Robert Pattison, Grand Prelate elect, who had been selected to deliver the public address, and who spoke as follows:

ADDRESS OF REV. MR. PATTISON.

Obedience is a lesson taught within the sacred inclosures of Masonry; I arise to obey the *order* of our Commander, yet it is with diffidence I enter upon the work committed to my hands. Many have been the so many bright and honored Knights, who by their zeal, valor, intelligence and wisdom have shed so much lustre upon our annals. But I remember Eminent Sire, another lesson which you have taught me, and that is, that the most humble and heedless practiced obedience is mine, charity is yours to-day.

There is a beautiful tradition connected with the site of the Temple of Solomon, which is worthy of note. It is said to have been owned in common by two brothers, one of whom had a family, the other had none. On the spot was sown by them in the evening succeeding the harvest, the wheat having been gathered in shocks and equally divided between the two. The unmarried brother said unto his wife: "My younger brother is unable to bear the burdens which devolve on the family and will arise, take of my shocks and add unto his without his knowledge." The younger brother, being actuated by the same benevolent motives, said within himself, "My elder brother has a family to support and I have none; I will take from this golden opportunity to rescue ourselves, our children and our State from the hands of those who have brought nothing but war, desolation, want and wretchedness upon our land, to meet in general convention in the city of Richmond as delegates, on the third Charlottesville, on August 1st next, at noon, at the African church, for the purpose of extending and perfecting the organization of the Republican party, commenced by the Convention assembled at Richmond on the 17th of April last.

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spirit that could not be destroyed. An eye witness of the conduct of the Templars in the field, tells us they were always foremost in the fight and the last on the field—[illegible] they preferred to battle with the greatest order, silence and circumspection, and [illegible] Responded to by Sir Knight Thomas Dunbar.

The Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania is in harmony and in national unity we have the *keystone* of the [illegible] Responded to by Sir Knight Thomas Dunbar.

The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania and her youngest daughter, May our [illegible] be ever loyal to Worthy of [illegible] Responded to by Sir Knight Thomas Dunbar.

The Grand Commandery and Knights of New Jersey. Numerically the smallest division of the Templar army, but equal to any corps. Fully armed and supported by a park of needle guns. Response by Sir Knight Thomas J. Corwin.

The Knights of Ohio: True and trusting as those they followed—Godfrey, Count de Leon and Tancred. Response by Sir Knight A. H. Batten, Steubenville.

The Order in Maryland: we continue to enjoy its princely hospitality as a delightful memory.

Responded to by Sir Knight Richard Muckle.

The Templars: one of the four Cardinal Virtues, typical of the threshold of Masonry. May the evening's enjoyment always bear the morning's remembrance. Response by R. E. Sir Robert Pittcairn.

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The Trowel, the Compass and the Square, invaluable instruments to those who would build the temple of life—[illegible] Response by R. E. Sir Fitz James Evans.

Free Masonry: a society without caste, a system without sectarianism, a religion which sects [illegible] Response by Sir Knight Richard Muckle.

Woman—stronger than kings—sweeter than rose or perfume, lovlier than flowers or moonlight. Response by Sir Knight H. B. McKean.

During the evening a number of excellent songs were sung by Sir Knight J. H. Blakeley, and other amateurs. The entertainment was a complete success, and reflected great credit upon the committee having it in charge. The supper was furnished by Mr. M. McGinley, of 14th street.

PROCEEDINGS TO-DAY.

The officers of the Lodge will visit Lawrenceville to-day, for the purpose of instituting a new Masonic Lodge in that borough and installing the officers elect. The ceremonies, which will be held in the hall, corner of Butler and Walnwright streets, will commence at twelve o'clock. The new Lodge will be named in honor of Hon. Wilson McCandless, Judge of the United States District Court. A large attendance of the fraternity in this vicinity is anticipated.

STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Eighteenth Annual Session.

First Day's Proceedings---Welcome Address.

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The eighteenth annual meeting of the Medical Society of Pennsylvania, commenced at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, at Lafayette Hall, Wood street. There is a large attendance of medical gentlemen from all parts of the State, some of whom are not delegates, and were attracted here to witness the transactions of the Society which promises to be unusually interesting. There are several counties not yet represented, the delegates having arrived. Other delegates are known to be in the city, but have not registered their names, nor filed their credentials with the permanent Secretary of the Society. The meeting is composed of gentlemen whose education and professional skill are perfected and carried into practical operation, then there ought to be a medical school established in Allegheny county, with her two hundred and thirty thousand inhabitants; and in all other places where there is population large enough to afford ample opportunities for that very important part of medical education—practical teaching.

We are related, therefore, to have your meeting, at last, in Pittsburgh, here to further the work of progress and reform, so dear to the heart of every lover of this profession. And we hope that your eighteenth annual session will be as agreeable to you, as we of Allegheny county feel sure it will be instructive and profitable to us.

Allow me, then, again to welcome you; in the name of the medical profession of Allegheny county I extend to you a most cordial welcome to our cities, to our homes and our hospitalities.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The constitutional provisions of the Society require the permanent President to open the annual meeting with an address in which he shall submit such practical suggestions on some subject connected with medical science as he shall deem proper. Dr. King, President of the Society, in his address yesterday afternoon, selected for his theme, the importance of a thorough knowledge of the subject of Obstetrics, and with that clearness for which he is distinguished, entertained the Society for more than one hour in a learned and valuable treatise on the subject, which was listened to with marked attention. At the conclusion of his remarks, on motion of Dr. Atlee, a vote of thanks was unanimously tendered to Dr. King, and a copy of his address requested for publication.

THE DAILY SESSIONS.

The convention resolved to hold two sessions each day until their labors are completed, viz: from 9½ A. M. to 12½ P. M., and from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

VISIT TO DIAMOND HOSPITAL.

An invitation was received from the Superintendent of Fairmont Hospital, to visit that institution on Friday next at one o'clock. After some debate on the question as to the time such visit would necessarily consume, the invitation was unanimously accepted.

THE VENANGO COUNTY DELEGATES.

Dr. Mayberry informed the society that he had received the credentials of Doctors Cotton and Colvin from the Venango County Medical Society. As the organization of this society was not complete under the rules of the State Society, he moved that these gentlemen be admitted to seats as delegates representing the medical faculty of Venango county. Adopted.

VISITORS.

Several physicians from adjacent and distant parts of the State were then elected to seats in the meeting, but the President decided upon a point of order raised by one of the accredited delegates, that such persons shall not have the right to vote or speak on any subject before the society.

THE SOIREE.

President King extended an invitation to all visiting physicians, strangers, &c., to attend the soiree to-night at the promenade concert and soiree in the evening.

THE ADJOURNMENT.

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Burglaries.

Some time during Tuesday night, the clothing store of Messrs. Brilles & Bernstein, No. 244 Liberty street, was entered by burglars, and wearing apparel, consisting of pantaloons, vests, shirts, etc., to the value of fifty dollars, carried off. An entrance was effected by boring auger holes through a large double panel in the front door, and then breaking the panel by a large boulder. There is no clue to the robber.

About half-past three o'clock yesterday morning, a burglar attempted to effect an entrance into the boot and shoe store of T. B. Graham, No. 123 Liberty street, by cutting a hole in the back door with that clearness for which he is distinguished, entertained the Society for more than one hour in a learned and valuable treatise on the subject, which was listened to with marked attention. At the conclusion of his remarks, on motion of Dr. Atlee, a vote of thanks was unanimously tendered to Dr. King, and a copy of his address requested for publication.

THE DAILY SESSIONS.

The convention resolved to hold two sessions each day until their labors are completed, viz: from 9½ A. M. to 12½ P. M., and from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

VISIT TO DIAMOND HOSPITAL.

An invitation was received from the Superintendent of Fairmont Hospital, to visit that institution on Friday next at one o'clock. After some debate on the question as to the time such visit would necessarily consume, the invitation was unanimously accepted.

THE VENANGO COUNTY DELEGATES.

Dr. Mayberry informed the society that he had received the credentials of Doctors Cotton and Colvin from the Venango County Medical Society. As the organization of this society was not complete under the rules of the State Society, he moved that these gentlemen be admitted to seats as delegates representing the medical faculty of Venango county. Adopted.

VISITORS.

Several physicians from adjacent and distant parts of the State were then elected to seats in the meeting, but the President decided upon a point of order raised by one of the accredited delegates, that such persons shall not have the right to vote or speak on any subject before the society.

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IT is established that Gen. GRANT backs up SHERIDAN in removing WELLS and those who hindered the restoration of the State on the basis of loyalty. This proof of Gen. GRANT's devotion to ideas and aims involved in the struggle in which he won so much renown, was not needed to satisfy dispassionate observers of his course, and as an interpretation of the ground wherever he stands, it will silence all cavil.

THE *Tribune* is happy to "welcome any expression of General GRANT that seems to indicate an opinion on any national question." Mr. GREELEY has been expressing opinions all his life time. It is not General GRANT's province to do so, but to act, and from his actions opinions may readily be gathered. Mr. GREELEY has also acted, his last appearance being on the Richmond stage. The people know the two both by their words and actions. If Mr. GREELEY is satisfied with what they think, General GRANT certainly should be.

IN Judge SHARSWOOD, of Philadelphia, the Democracy have a *respectable* candidate, so far as ability is concerned, for the Supreme Bench. In politics, he is the preferred of his party, because he is of them. Every day the country is admonished that the time has not yet come when it can safely lose sight of the issues involved in the recent struggle of the rebellion. All men coming before the public for responsible positions must be tried in the strong light reflected from that struggle. We know what the record of the Democratic party is. If we are not mistaken, Judge SHARSWOOD's record is no better. He may be able, he may be upright, but what is his record for patriotism? What has he done or said, going to establish the fact that his heart was on the right side, or that in the future, should he occupy the bench, the cause which triumphed in the struggle will lose nothing by his decisions?

THE *Dispatch* gives District Attorney RIDDLE the credit of the Meat and Market exposures which have been under investigation by the Grand Jury. No doubt Mr. RIDDLE has done his duty, but we think it would have been but fairness had our contemporary, if it knew them, stated the facts correctly. The investigation by the Grand Jury was in consequence of the statements and representations which appeared in the COMMERCIAL—statements and representations, we will say, put forth by us after the case had been worked up by one of our reporters, with the view of enlisting the attention of the Grand Jury as well as the public. The names of nearly every important witness was supplied from the same source, and the names of other men furnished who were not called before the Grand Jury. To have prematurely closed an investigation of so much importance, would have been a matter of perpetual regret; and if by an appeal to the Grand Jury we were successful in having the investigation go forward and in bringing out the facts, that fact will only add to the satisfaction we experience from having originated the investigation. We have to thank District Attorney RIDDLE and the Grand Jury, as the whole community will thank them, for the manner in which they have done their duty.

THE President and his advisers, in undertaking to substitute something else for the Reconstruction laws, in the shape of rules of interpretation by the Attorney General, are treading on ticklish ground. Mr. JOHNSON's hostility to the laws and policy of Congress is well known. He has said, however, that he will enforce the laws fairly, and for a time he did, but lately he has given evidence of another disposition. The part of Mr. STANBERY appears to be to furnish the President just so much and such kind of law as will assist the hostile purpose—too frequently the use to which Attorney Generals are put. Already the frequent legal constructions from that source have come to be regarded as an interference, and the effect has not been good. There is a strong will in the nation's bosom, and it will be well for the President if he provoke it not. The people—whose will is the ultimate law of the land—are firmly resolved to see reconstruction through; and, should occasion require it, they will no more hesitate to brush away a President than SHERIDAN does to remove a constable in New Orleans. One would think that Mr. JOHNSON and his advisers had been admonished enough of this. If he has not yet learned the length of his rope there is yet opportunity, and it looks somewhat as though he felt inclined to improve it.

THE DEMOCRATIC STATE PLATFORM.

If a new theory of the remarkable coolness of the season were needed, we respectfully suggest that a plausible one might be constructed on the ground of the approach of the Democratic Convention and its comically cool platform. That a party which has been traditionally opposed to a Protective Tariff law, a party that has had the varied experience of both standing and falling, of success and defeat, for its support of free trade, should denounce the Republican party for the failure of the Tariff law in the last Congress, certainly proves, if it proves nothing else, that whatever of sterling material the Democracy has lost of late years, it keeps its stock of a certain laser metal undiminished. The Tariff, often a test question on which the two parties have divided, has been invariably supported by the Republican party and opposed by the Democratic, the few exceptions being easily accounted for by the predominance of local considerations. And in the specific matter of a proposition in the Senate of Pennsylvania, no longer ago than last winter, to instruct our Representatives in Congress to favor the passage of the Tariff law, the action and vote of the Democratic members were opposed to the proposition. Once, we are aware, as an election trick—admitted to be such after election—a banner was paraded in *some counties* of this State, purporting that the Democratic party was in favor of the tariff of 1842. But the convention's denunciation of the Republican party on Tuesday last, is a trick of brass that quite outshines the former one.

Again, the Democratic Convention assumes a martial tone and says, it "will resist to the last resort the threatened measures of the Republican party in the elective franchise in Pennsylvania." This fierce attitude is taken against a man of straw set up by the Convention itself. No threat has been made and no measure proposed by the Republicans, touching the elective franchise in Pennsylvania. If the bugbear of negro suffrage is referred to, as we presume it is, every person of average sense and information knows that this is not, has not been, and during the coming canvass, cannot be a subject at issue between the parties. It can only be approached under a proposition to amend the Constitution of the State on the suffrage question, and any amendment is precluded for a definite time, far enough in the future to carry it beyond the next election. The negro suffrage question is used therefore by this grave State Convention merely for the usual purposes answered by bugbears and scare-crows.

As to another point in this extraordinary platform of the Democracy—the feature of the reconstruction plan that admits the freed people of color to the right of suffrage—it is sufficient for us to say, as it is gratifying to know, that the wiser men of the South, who are certainly as good judges as the mass of the Northern Democrats, are approving the manner of reconstruction that embraces negro suffrage, while at the same time they are declining the counsels, the sympathies and, most mortifying of all, even the party alliance of the Northern Democrats. General LONGSTREET says, in express and highly significant words, that "the South has no interest with the Democratic party, because of its opposition to negro suffrage." Similar sentiments have been expressed by others.

Nor is it surprising that such a sentiment should gain ground among the Southern people, as they perceive the true bearing of the Republican policy on their restoration to their normal condition in the Union, and on the recuperation and prosperity of their physical affairs. And that feeling will, of course, become more extended and influential in the same quarters when it is seen that the policy of the Democratic party simply regards the Southern people as make-weights and auxiliaries to it. This idea cropped out distinctly in the speech of Hon. W. A. WALLACE in opening the convention, describing the enterprise and purpose of the party as doing battle for the sceptre of dominion.

It is a strange position for a party to take. If anything could denaonstrate the forlorn condition of the party as to all real live questions of public policy, its own platform does it most forcibly. It proposes issues that are not born, as well as those that are dead. It courts the South by denouncing what the South has decided to accept, and seeks a fellowship of partisanship with the Southern people, while they are wisely and honestly refusing it. It courts the American workingman by a pretense which he knows to be untrue, and endeavors to throw the deserved odium of the Democratic hostility to a protective tariff on the Republican party which is and has been its only true friend.

THE MEAT QUESTION AND THE GRAND JURY.

Acting on the representations and suggestions made by the COMMERCIAL, the Grand Jury, on Monday last, commenced the investigation of the alleged fraudulent and outrageous practices of butchers, dealers and others engaged in supplying the Pittsburgh and Allegheny markets. A large number of witnesses gave in their testimony, and yesterday the Grand Jury came into open court with a presentment against twenty-three persons for having been engaged in the purchase and sale of diseased and unwholesome meats. Their names will be found in the Court proceedings reported in another column.

The Grand Jury have, we believe, performed an important service in giving this subject such a thorough and patient investigation. Were the facts, as they were presented to the Jury, once spread before the public, we are persuaded the universal stomach would instantly revolt.

We trust the matter will not end here—so far as we are concerned it will not; nor is this the only thing that needs investigation. The city authorities have a duty to perform. If such a thing as a thorough inspection of cattle before and meat after slaughtering be possible, it should, without any delay, be provided for. If there is law enough for this, somebody will be most shamefully derelict if it is not made to work.

THE NEXT PRESIDENCY

The New York *Times* discusses this question at length, starting out with the declaration that "the rising tide" is unmistakably for GRANT. It thanks the position of the General makes him stronger than any other man, both as to principles and expediency; that his wish not to be considered a candidate is in his favor and an element of strength, and that in whatever light the question of candidacy is viewed he stands foremost. The *Times* concludes its article as follows:

"We look forward to the nomination of General Grant by the National Convention of the Union party. That the most strenuous efforts will be made to defeat it is sufficiently evident from movements already made public. The entire machinery of the Republican party is certain to be put in motion in the hands of his opponents, and the representatives of that party in the Convention, elected, as of course they will be, wholly by negro votes, will probably be cast against him. But the great body of the Union party in the North and West will, unless we are greatly mistaken, become so satisfied that the existence of the party, as well as the welfare of the country, depends upon his becoming the candidate, that we have very little doubt of that result."

THE widow of the late Abraham Lincoln is going to make Racine, Wis., her permanent home, and has sold her furniture at Chicago.

SENATOR SUMNER is obliged to abandon his intention of going to Europe just now, on account of the delicacy of his wife's health. She is expected to be better soon.

AN unknown man, that could not be identified, was killed by a locomotive in the Cleveland depot on Tuesday. He was aged about 40, 5 feet 8 inches high; had $270.

THE St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Herald* repeats, on positive authority, that negotiations for several of our iron-clads were commenced, including the Miantonomah. That vessel having been ordered home, that part of the story falls out.

THE news from Mexico has the mysterious announcement that after the surprise and capture of Queretaro, "all the French officers were missing." What means this? Were they murdered or permitted to escape? There certainly is some reason to apprehend that not one remains to give the answer.

THE reports concerning the President's health, connecting with it "Bright's disease of the kidneys"—an alarming symptom—are believed to be not without foundation. It is understood that Mr. Johnson was urged by his medical adviser not to go on his recent North Carolina excursion, as the fatigue and excitement would be more than he could bear.

A WASHINGTON dispatch to the Boston *Post* says: "One of the distinguished gentlemen who accompanied the President on his recent tour, affirms his conviction, from personal observation, that the South needs nothing so much as to be let alone." That is just what was said throughout the war. But it was no more reasonable then than it would be now.

A CORRESPONDENT with the Senatorial Excursion Party in the Far West, commences his letter thus: "Shooting at antelopes from a car window while traveling at the rate of fifty miles an hour." He is careful not to intimate that an antelope has ever been shot under those circumstances. It is probable the animals have nothing to fear,—such sportsmen will never harm anything.

THE *Tribune* questions the authenticity of the address purporting to have been issued by Maximilian; but concedes if genuine, it "would produce not only in France, but throughout Europe, an extraordinary effect." The *Tribune* adds this:

"Curious reports are being circulated in Europe concerning a correspondence between Napoleon and Maximilian. The Emperor Napoleon made the utmost efforts to get back the letters written by him to the Emperor of Mexico, and the attendants both of the Empress Carlotta and those of Maximilian were bribed to search for the correspondence and send it to Louis Napoleon. All their efforts were, however, in vain. Maximilian succeeded in sending the letters to Queen Victoria, with whom they are now safely deposited."

ONE day of Chicago life may be gathered from the following head lines to a single column of the *Tribune*:

"Crime."—"A Long Series of Dark Deeds;" —"Terrible Infanticide—A Young Girl Flees from Home to Hide her Shame—She Becomes a Mother in an Outhouse—The Babe Strangled and Thrown into a Vault;"—"Probable Murder—A Man's Skull Broken in with a Pickaxe—The Flight—Pursuit and Arrest;"—"A Revolting Outrage—Attempted Rape of a Child by an Old Man;"—"The Story of a Woman's Wrongs —Alleged Adultery;"—"Serious Stabbing Affray;"—"Man Robbed while Taking a Bath;" —"Riot in a German Beer Garden."

COL. MCCLURE is still at Denver, fighting shy of the Indians. When he will be able to continue his journey westward, he says "depends entirely upon the enemy, rather than upon friends." He seems to be quite out of humor, and avers that "with nearly 10,000 troops in the departments of Generals Hancock and Alvord, there are not any ten miles of the two great thoroughfares from the Missouri river that twenty Indians could not 'clean out' any day." The Colonel intimates that everything is wretchedly managed on the comprehensive scale of showing how not to do it." We trust our friend will preserve his equanimity, and console himself with the reflection that he might be much worse off than he is.

RUSSIAN-AMERICA is sixty-five and a half times as large as Massachusetts; between eight and nine times as large as all New England; twelve times as large as New York; nine times as large as Virginia; twice as large as Texas; twice as large as the French empire; or between six and seven times as large as the island of Great Britain. It is considerably larger than all the New England States, New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi together.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

The owners of the Lindell Hotel property, St. Louis, who are the heirs of the estate of the late Henry Ames, the wealthy pork-packer of St. Louis, have decided to put up a handsome block of buildings, marble front. The lower floor will be used for stores, which are to be one hundred and thirty feet deep by forty wide. Meanwhile, St. Louis is to have a new hotel. The McCreary building, corner Fifth and Chestnut streets, now used for offices and sleeping rooms, is to be altered over into an hotel, as much like the late Lindell as possible.

A recent number of the Salt Lake *Valette* says: "Large numbers of the residents of Utah, North and South of this city, who have dwelt in the pleasant valleys of Zion for years, are emigrating to America. Quite a number of families started yesterday with the Government train that left Camp Douglas. We are informed that one hundred and thirty wagons loaded with Josephites go out from hence. They have scared on Zion."

A freedman lately fished up a torpedo from Stone river, below Charleston, S. C., and trying to break it open with a hatchet, it exploded, blowing him to atoms. A small piece of one arm, lodged in a tree, was all that was found of him. Two other negroes were blown into the river and killed, and two more mortally wounded.

A person was recently drowned in the river at Knox, Indiana, and after all other means for the discovery of the body had been tried, the shirt of the drowned man was thrown into the river, and after drifting a short distance it disappeared. The grappling hooks were immediately used, and the body drawn up at precisely the place where the shirt disappeared.

Four hundred cases of Austrian rifles—20 in a case—were shipped by our Government to Bremen a few days since, and another hundred cases are to follow shortly. They are a part of the purchase made by our Government a few years ago.

A St. Louis letter to a Chicago paper speaks of the extreme prostration of business in the former city, the decline in rents at least twenty-five per cent., the great number making assignments, and the larger number who are lying in wait for the bankrupt machinery to get into operation—in fact, that things look decidedly blue. But the letter is for the Chicago market.

The Adrian (Mich.) *Times* says an eagle, kept in a shoe store on Maumee street, in that city, becoming cross, last Thursday, June 6, was confined in the cellar, when, for some reason unexplained, a little son of A. W. Fish, of Detroit, was taken into the cellar, and left alone with the eagle. For an hour or so no thought was given to the little fellow, when the owners of the bird hastened down stairs, but on reaching the lad it was discovered that the eagle had overpowered him, and had already destroyed one of his eyes.

PERSONAL.

—The Salt Lake *Valette* publishes a rumor that Orson Hyde and Amos Lyman, both high up in the Church, have been preaching against polygamy and special revelations of late. It is also asserted that "brother Brigham" had to visit the southern settlements and shut off their wind.

—The death bed of the Rev. Dr. Hawes, of Connecticut, was serene and peaceful. His mind was clear to the last, but he had much difficulty in speaking. A few hours previous to his death, in reply to a remark that he was almost home, the Doctor said:—"Oh, yes, I am so thankful that the great work of preparation has not been put off until now." His wife was present at his bedside when he died. His funeral was very largely attended and the services were most impressive.

—"Nasby" has printed a letter to Jeff. Davis, inviting him to accept a professorship in his "institoot" at the X roads. He tells Davis: "We worshipt you before your ontimely eapcher in female apparel, for the dignity with which you bore yourself doorin your prosperous days, your manfulness doorin your long and unconstitooshonal incarceration in a Federal bastile, and your hawty though silent assershen uv the natral sooperiority of the southern man doorin the annoyin proceedins wich endid in your triumphant release from your assalt persecooters, and we feel that in yoor hands the interest uv the institoot will be entirely safe."

—The French women will not give up crinoline, and this is the conclusive argument of one of them: "My sister is lean, and nearly as tall as a cocoanut tree; I, on the contrary, am a little too well provided with embonpoint. But, thanks to the crinoline, which adds to the one and somewhat diminishes the other, we pass ladies for women remarkably well proportioned."

—Somebody who has seen one of the Dumas-Menken caries de visits, which have been so much talked about, says that "of itself the picture is not indecent, but unquestionably piquant and suggestive. Menken's air in the carte is one of pleased and tranquil contentment; but Dumas's is redolent of the aggressive gallantry of a gay old Parisian who is still green and hardy in trunk and branch."

—Charles C. Duncan, organizer of the Mollenen Cincinnati mansion, which left New York yesterday, filed a petition in bankruptcy that morning with Chief Clerk Wilmarth. Mr. Duncan was a member of the firm of Duncan & Kendall, and the debts are estimated at $120,000.

THE St. Louis *Democrat* perceives two encouraging things: The growing crops in unequaled abundance, and the "busting up" of the speculators.

THE *Tribune* says the "dissent" which has followed the release of Jeff. Davis is but "trivial." We wonder what the *Tribune* would regard not "trivial."

Collecting Back Dues.

After Louisiana seceded the Federal Government was powerless to collect duties on imports and they were collected by the rebel authorities. About one million of dollars were paid by some twelve merchants who, thereupon, took their goods from warehouses. The records have come into the possession of the Government, and an agent of the Treasury Department has arrived in New Orleans, within a few days, with instructions to collect the import duties due on the goods in question.

THE Macon (Ga.) *Telegraph*, of the 7th, has a paragraph about the crops. It says:

The planters are busy now in cutting wheat, and in looking after their stands of cotton and corn. When through with this they will have a little leisure and money to spend in Macon.

The sale of surplus wheat raised by planters and farmers of contiguous counties alone, will put several hundred thousand dollars in circulation. Even the planters of Southwestern Georgia, with few exceptions, we learn, will raise wheat sufficient for home consumption. This will give them more money to spend for necessaries and luxuries; and our merchants be benefited thereby.

A gentleman just from Georgia, East Tennessee, and Southern Virginia, reports that cereals and cotton look finely, and promise abundantly. There has been and is much suffering from want of food, but the new crop will largely remedy this. Bread made from new wheat is already on the tables of the Georgia farmers.

CASTILE SOAP.—Very few are aware of the radical difference between genuine Castile soap and the imitations of it. The basis of Castile soap is olive oil. But if you buy your oil it will cost more than the soap will sell for. So the manufacturer takes the mare, (the "cheese," cider makers call it,) from which all the oil has been pressed that profitably can be, and washes out the remainder with a solution of soda. Thus he utilizes a waste product. American Castile soap—the term is worthy of the English language—is a palm oil soap that resembles the real article in color only. At the present price of gold the importer can put Castile soap on the market at about seventeen cents per pound.

DAVIS TO THE CANADIANS, GREETING.—Jefferson Davis has finally broken silence. On being serenaded in Niagara, he said in reply:

GENTLEMEN—I thank you sincerely for the honor you have this evening shown to me; it shows that true British manhood to which misfortune is always attractive. May peace and prosperity be forever the blessing of Canada, for she has been the asylum for many of my friends, as she is now an asylum to myself. I hope that Canada may forever remain a part of the British Empire, and may God bless you all, and the British flag never cease to wave over you.

FRAUDS ON THE REVENUE.—Brooklyn is distinguished either for the magnitude of its frauds upon the United States revenue, or for the vigilance of Government officers. Two of the four men under indictment (Tappen and Tilton) were Government officers. Judge Benedict held the parties to bail in the following sums: Tappen, $20,000; Levan, $10,000; Develen, $50,000; Tilton, $30,000, the latter giving the chief clerk of a large distillery as his bondsman. The Court required each bondsman to justify for the amount of their respective bonds.

PATRICK KELLY, of Nashville, master mechanic of the Nashville and Chattanooga and Nashville and Northwestern roads, recently applied for a patent for a new style of locomotive smokestacks, invented by himself and now in use on these roads. It is so constructed that no sparks are emitted from the top of the stack, a shute being fixed to carry them downward, and they fall harmlessly on the earth beneath the locomotive, thus insuring safety to all articles of a combustible nature on the train or in its immediate vicinity.

THE Moscow *News* gives some interesting statistics concerning the Russian army. It says that at the beginning of the Crimean war the whole military force of Russia consisted of twenty-eight divisions, comprising 112 infantry regiments, while now it consists of forty-seven divisions, with 188 infantry regiments; and that the number of troops in active service, which in 1856 was 880,000, is now 940,000. At the beginning of the present year there were 56,000 officers, 705,796 soldiers, and 29,202 *denshchiks* or assistants. According to the calculations made in the Russian War office, this force may be increased in a very short time to 1,130,000. Besides these, there are 220,000 irregular troops, so that the total military force now at the disposal of the Czar may be reckoned at a million and and a half of men.

THE ALBANY TRAGEDY.

Cole the Murderer.

The Syracuse *Journal* describes Cole, and draws some inferences, as follows:

Some light may be thrown upon this subject by a reference to Cole's personal qualities. He was a man of morose, unsocial disposition. He made but few friends, and had few intimacies or none. Some, we know, who were attracted by his military reputation, tried to form his acquaintance, but every advance made for that purpose was repelled. He was a self-willed, determined man, and it is easy enough to comprehend how, having once conceived a strong aversion for the person he may have supposed privy to the arrangements that did not promote his views, he was drawn on from one position to another till he had resolved upon his destruction.

The will we have spoken of was executed in August, 1864, at Mrs. Cole's residence. This is the time spoken of at the Coroner's inquest, when the murdered man is accused of attempting liberties with a woman who imagined she was on her death bed. The thing is incredible. In March, 1865, Mrs. Cole called at Mr. Hiscock's office, dictated the codicil, waited for it to be drawn out; and then executed the instrument. Both papers were left with Hiscock for safe keeping. Was this the conduct of a woman who was conscious that she had sustained a gross insult from the man she was thus employing and confided in? The idea is too intolerable for belief. Mrs. Cole certainly could have harbored no such sense of injury to her feelings of character at the time. If any confession has been wrung from her lips subsequently, that implicated Mr. Hiscock, there must have existed a motive for it that goes beyond the question of wounded honor. What could it have sprung from if not from considerations connected with the will? This view will certainly bear examination, until other and more satisfactory evidence can be adduced to discredit and overthrow it.

We are informed that in her will, as originally drawn, Mrs. Cole left her husband only an annuity of $350, or the interest on $5,000; but that in the codicil to which reference is made she left him $5,000 outright. This does not seem to indicate any very extravagant regard for him on her part.

Political Prospect in Virginia.

It has been generally claimed that the conservative or copperhead element in Virginia is strong enough to keep that State from falling into the hands of the radicals, in a fair vote, under the terms of the military reconstruction acts. The Richmond *Whig* of Friday contains an article on this subject, from which it appears that the contest will be very close. One Mr. Turner has made a calculation to show that there is a majority of forty-five thousand white voters in the State. This is exclusive of those disfranchised by the provisions of the reconstruction acts. Turner concedes that the negroes will be a unit in voting the radical ticket, but he entirely ignores the existence of any *white* radicals. On this point the *Whig* enters into a calculation to show that the white radicals are numerous enough to turn the scales—at any rate to make the contest very close.

A PROMINENT stock operator in Philadelphia is reported to have failed for a large amount. No name yet.

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Is not only a relief, but a radical cure for those pests of the feet. Mr. J. W. Barker, the Market street Dry Goods Merchant, says Peterson's Ointment removed his corn pain almost immediately, and ultimately removed the corns from his feet.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—ALL persons who may have claims against, or be indebted to, the estate of JAMES A. KNOX, deceased late of Sewickley Borough, are required to call at the store of Knox & Orr, Liberty street, Pittsburgh, or the First National Bank of Allegheny, for settlement.

WM. H. KNOX,
T. H. NEVIN,
Executors.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The Annual Festival for the benefit of the Church Home for Widows and Orphans, will be held in LOCUST GROVE, Lawrenceville, on THURSDAY, 13th inst., AFTERNOON and EVENING. Tickets for sale at the Book Stores and the entrance.

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CONNELLSVILLE, PA., May 29th, 1867.
MESSRS. FAHNESTOCK & HOLTON:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that I have been a sufferer with Chronic Diarrhœa for about eighteen months, and have tried several different remedies recommended for this class of diseases, and have been treated by different Physicians, and they all failed to effect a cure. About four weeks ago I was recommended to try Mishler's Herb Bitters, and I bought one bottle and have used its contents; am happy to say that I feel myself entirely cured, and quite a different man. It has arrested the complaint, and effected, I think, a permanent cure. I must add that my case was so bad that I was prevented from attending Church for some time. I am now using the Bitters on my daughter for a disease of the blood, which arose from Diptheria, having caught a severe cold while suffering with Diptheria. You are at liberty to publish the above if you see proper.

Yours truly,
H. WALTER.

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NOTICE.—WHEREAS, LETTERS of administration have been granted to JOHN HEBLER, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them properly authenticated, without delay to

CHRISTIAN W. SCHMIDECK,

At Peter Peterson's Store, No. 41 Federal street, Allegheny city.
Pittsburgh, July 28, 1857. TH

MARSHAL'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale, at the COURT HOUSE, in the city of Pittsburgh, on the FIRST DAY OF JULY, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following property, to wit:

Twenty-seven Barrels of Refined Oil.

Seized at the Refinery of Frisbee & Co., at the suit of the United States.

THOS. A. ROWLEY,
U. S. MARSHAL.

Marshal's Office, Pittsburgh, June 11, 1867.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of SCHAD, WALLACE & CO., Rochester, Beaver county, Pa., has been dissolved by mutual consent.

Thomas Malone,	Adam Haas,
William Loomis,	Frederick Kaufner,
Cooper Miller,	Joseph Schad,
Thomas Cutter,	Charles Schad,
Gustavus Reed,	James Wallace,
A. Parsons,	Robert Ross.

Rochester, Pa., April 25, 1867.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO the above firm are requested to make payment, and please present them to me for settlement as early as possible. H. C. LIPPINCOTT, Attorney in fact for the late firm of Schad, Wallace & Co.

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Twenty Barrels of Refined Oil, in Tanks; Ten Barrels of Refined Oil, in Agitator; Twenty-eight Barrels of Refined Oil, in Barrels; Also, Twenty-seven Barrels of Naptha, in Tanks; Two Hundred Barrels of Crude Oil, in Tanks; Fifty Gallons Refined; One Cooling Still; Two Hundred and Five Oil Barrels; Eight Barrels of Tar; Twenty Cords Wood; together with the Stills, Tanks, Coolers, Boilers, Machinery, Tools, Implements and property appertaining to said Refinery, all and singular, as the property of Frisbee & Co., at the suit of the United States.

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NOTICES.

PITTSBURGH, June 7, 1867.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE Directors of the Ralston Oil Company have this day declared a Dividend of 2 PER CENT. on the capital stock, payable forthwith at the Office of the Company, No. 251 Liberty st.

WILLIAM H. KIRKPATRICK,
Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH, June 3, 1867.

THE BIRMINGHAM GAS COMPANY has this day declared a Dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 13th inst., at the Banking House of Robinson Brothers, No. 87 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

D. ROBINSON Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE A. V. R. R. COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will redeem the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the Company within two years from their date, in accordance with the provisions of the mortgage given to secure the payment of the said bonds. By order of the Board of Managers.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, President.

REMOVALS.

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he Daily Commercial

JUNE PICTURES.

June's glorious sun unclouded shines,
And not a bud unopened lingers;
The roses laugh, and bold their vines
The golden-petalled eglantines
In their fragrant fingers.

The epaulette blackbird sings
His love-song in the rushy shallows,
And orioles on dashing wings
Dart through the sweet-pea shallows,
And flash into the shadows.

Afar the lake, a silver sheet
Girdled with swells of green, lies sleeping;
The brooks that on its bosom meet
I see not, but their feet—wind feet
I hear the lodges leaping.

In groups beneath the pasture trees
Full fed the cows lie drowsing;
The locust grove's alive with bees,
With song like that of summer seas,
Among the blooms carousing.

Young quail are whistling in the brake
(Each day their fatherly instincts quicken),
The kingbirds cheerful house-keep make,
And doves the woodland echoes wake
With soft and amorous cadence.

Sweet is the moonlite of the year,
That crowns the world with caspicts floral,
But sweeter still the primrose sphere
That lights the Eden evening!
And makes a perfumed atmosphere
With living manic choral.

Leave your dull haunts, ye human mules!
Hurry (ye could) to treasures purging,
By verdorous paths seek brightest soul,
And woes be strolled your jadgment souls
The applauds June is swinling.

AMERICAN MEAT ABROAD.

Conflict of Opinion.

he London Society of Arts lately appointed committee to inquire how far and from what ces the supplies of nutricious food for the ring classes could be increased and cheap- . The investigation, which is an impor- one, has led to a good deal of evidence American bacon, which Dr. Edward Smith, minent physician employed by the govern-, in a late sanitary inquiry, has recom- ded as a valuable article of food. One gen- an who was examined by the committee, Dr. Henry Grainger, who has been for y years largely engaged in the provision , and was lately President of the Liverpool nber of Commerce. He said that as far as own experience went, he had never been to get from any part of the world beef which the English people would eat at price. During the late American war, large quantities of American bacon were ted to this country, at a first cost of three e per pound. Since the close of the war rice had advanced considerably, the first wholesale being, in round figures, five s per pound by the hundred weight; the quality of the bacon sometimes varies, but derably uniform. The present price of rican bacon was from 40s. to 50s. per cwt., ding to the quality of the meat; the re- price would be from 6d. to 7d. per pound. ish or Irish bacon was from 2d. to 3d. per d dearer. American bacon is never con- ed to be of so good a quality for consump- n this country as English or Irish cured. rish producers ship all their superior qual- of bacon to our markets, and import large- American bacon from Liverpool for consumption. The over-greasiness the American bacon was one ob- n to its use in this country; the of firmness in the meat he attributed in a measure to the way in which the hogs fed. Large quantities of pork were sent America, as barrelled pork, in wet pickle, was very good indeed, and met with a sale. He saw some of this description rk the day before, the price of which esale was 5d per pound. It was frequent- d by retailers. It was not so salt gener- s the American bacon, only moderately

e of the witnesses said he had remarked he use of American bacon in England an with a relish and ended with a nau-

. Grainger said the largest importation of ican bacon was 500,000 boxes, of 400 ls each. That was the second year of the ican war. Last year it amounted to only 0 boxes. American hams were almost un- ie sale, but American cheese had become orite article in England, and would have ible effect on the home manufacture.

The Fate of the Deluded.

trials of the Fenians in Dublin and Cork demonstrated that the prisoners were vic- of the delusion that Ireland was ready to nd free herself. We learn from a foreign that two of the men convicted in Cork ssed the Court, and in the spirit and clo- e of their language they did not fall short standard attained by their compatriots in n. Capt. McClure, like McCafferty, is an ican born, but the son of Irish parents, whom he had heard of the wrongs of Ire- and learned to hate her oppressor. His h, previous to the passing of the sentence m, was a noble one. At an earlier stage of ial he had pleaded guilty, and in so doing some observations of a rather dubious ter concerning the cause in which he mbarked. "I was made to believe," said by traitors, that I came to assist an ssed people; but finding I was fatally ved by the lies they told me, I then did thing in my power to prevent injury to uman being." Some of the loyal jour- at once seized upon these words, represent- them as an admission that he had discov- that the Irish people endured no oppres- But the truth appears to be that the op- ion of the people was not the point on h the prisoner felt he had been deceived, concerning which lies had been told to him, e merely blundered in expression when he such an apparent meaning to his words. is proved by the speech he delivered when d on to say why sentence should not be d on him, the whole tenor of which was the Irish people were a grievously oppress- d distressed nation, and that he regarded a meritorious and a glorious act to assist in striking against their tyrants. He the penalty attaching to his well meant ts in aid of this persecuted land, he said, he was willing to suffer it.

he Grand Council at Rome.

correspondent from Naples says: The ap- ching centenary of St. Peter and the can- ation, awaken intense interest among all es, from different motives. An opinion ails that the Great Assembly of Bishops be formed after the canonization into an menic Council, which will last for a few only, and whose decisions will be added to of the Council of Trent. This is, of se, conjectural; but that which may be pos- ly asserted is, that almost immediately rig- s measures will be adopted against Cardi- D'Andrea, in his sympathy with the new Ital- nationality. For this reason it is, perhaps, the Italian Bishops have been summoned er than the others. Already there have ar- l the Cardinals Morichini, of Jesi; Pecci, of gia; Antonucci, of Ancona, and Vanlecliff- erara. If the purple is not laid taken from Cardinal, and it is difficult to suppose that Pope will sanction such extremities, there be little doubt that he will be deprived of "voce attiva e passiva"—that is, of the power taking any part in the deliberations of the College. The Pope held a Consistory re- ly, when three Bishops only were made, and Allocution was delivered. It is believed, ever, that something was said about Cardi- D'Andrea.

News Miscellany.

ueh of the article known in this country as y is merely part of the shin bone of an ox. Peter Cooper contracts for the leg, between knee and the hoof, of all oxen killed to sup- the city of New York with meat, 24,000 ly, and the bones of the same are made up pearnel handles. Mr. Cooper has made an ense fortune in this way.

ne hundred of the employees in the Phila- hia Postoffice are ex-soldiers or sailors, di- d as follows: 2 colonels, 3 lieutenant colo- , 8 majors, 13 captains, 9 lieutenants, 12 cants, 6 corporals, 6 sexmens, 1 marine, 1 ician, 1 hospital steward, and 44 privates.

he New York correspondent of the London rican observes: "It is a year on the first of y since George Peabody arrived here in the ita. With the closest economy it has cost four millions dollars during his twelve ths' stay with us."

he cotton crop of Alabama for 1866, as near an be ascertained, was 229,415 bales. Over f of the crop was produced in Marengo, ne, Dallas, Wilcox, Lowndes, Pike, Mont- ery and Barbour counties. The cotton crop the State in 1859 was over nine hundred sand bales.

r. Asa Strong, of Northampton, Mass., who kept a table of the dates of the full blossom- of apple trees for the last thirty-five years, s that only in two years during that time they blossomed so late as this year—1867 1850.

r. Hall says that the secrets of health are six: p warm. Eat regular and slow. Maintain lar bodily habits. Take early and very light pers. Keep a clean skin. Get plenty of p at night.

lad in a Bennington factory had his arm from his shoulder by being caught in belt- or shafting of a grindstone.

singing festival is to be given in New York the 10th inst., by forty-two German singing ieties of that city.

t is said that a million and a quarter of dol- s were staked and lost in the recent English es. All for the cultivation of the breed of ses, at the expense of the morals of men.

The army worm is doing great damage to the ests in portions of Augusta. This worm was y destructive north last year, and is but con- ing its march. It moves in armies, sweep- every green leaf and sprig before it, and if rm weather succeeds its passage, destroys the te.

The population of St. Louis, the *Republican* says, The population at present is a mat- of estimate. Since May, 1866, there has n a steady increase, and the population now supposed not to vary much from 220,000. In speech recently made by Mr. Thomas, the ayor of the city, he estimated the population 225,000. Judging by the ratio of increase in st years those figures are not far out of the

SPECIAL NOTICE.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT.—CANCER—The days of "brilliant operations" are gomere. The discovery of Holloway's Ointment dispensed with the necessity of the knife, which frequently endangered the life of the patient. Thousands of females have been cured of cancer in the breast by the medicating action of the Ointment, and their sufferings spared to their friends. The same has been the cancer in its tortuous winding, and imperceptibly but thoroughly and painlessly eradicates it from the system. The Pills cleanse and purify the blood. Sole by all Druggists.

AMUSEMENTS.

"TWO NIGHTS IN SCOTLAND."
MASONIC HALL.
THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 13th and 14th of June,
MR. KENNEDY,
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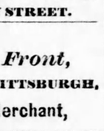
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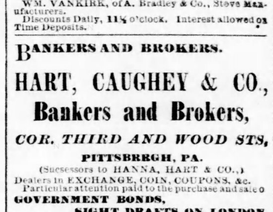
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GOOD TEMPLARS.

Fourteenth Annual Session of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. of G. T., of Pa.—First Day's Session.

The fourteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Pennsylvania, commenced its important and interesting labors, in Mozart Hall, in this city, yesterday at ten o'clock A. M., Rev. J. S. McMurray, of Altoona, G. W. C. T., presiding, assisted by Miss L. E. Wright, of Lancaster, G. W. S., with a full attendance of the officers of the Grand Lodge. The attendance of representatives from the various Lodges of the State is larger than on any previous occasion, and yesterday upwards of one hundred delegates were at one time initiated into the mysteries of the sublime Grand Lodge Degree. Three hundred and fifty-three lodges of the State are represented, and the number of delegates present is something over seven hundred. During the entire afternoon of yesterday the Committee on Credentials of Representatives were kept constantly employed, as many visitors and delegates, some of them from the more distant counties, arrived.

The report of Grand Worthy Chief Templar, Rev. J. S. McMurray, was read to the Grand Lodge in the evening, and was received with marked attention. He gave the gratifying information that during the year there had been one hundred and fifty new Lodges organized in this State, and that there are at present upwards of three hundred Lodges in successful operation, with every prospect of a continued increase. The G. W. C. T. congratulated the order on the successes of the State Lecturers—Rev.'s Hartman, Davidson, Nicholson, and Mrs. Gage.

was complimented very highly for his constant labors since entering the service of the Grand Lodge in January last. He was reported as having delivered one hundred and fourteen lectures and sermons, organized forty-seven Lodges, and introducing the order into ten new counties. The G. W. C. T., recommended that Mr. Davidson and Rev. Hartman be continued in the work. The Right Worthy Grand Chief Templar of Hastings Chapter of Wisdom, and R. W. G. S., J. A. Spencer, of Cleveland, Ohio, were introduced and received with Grand Honors.

The report of the Grand Worthy Secretary, Miss L. E. Wright, of Lancaster, was also read in the evening and received with much applause. It is said by those well informed, that Miss Wright is the most efficient Grand Secretary in the United States. She has maintained this position for many years, and the praises of this popular officer are heard on all sides in the Grand Lodge.

The election of the Grand Lodge officers will take place to-day, and much important and interesting work will be done. Notwithstanding the crowded state of the Hall, and the hundreds of delegates in attendance, the utmost harmony has prevailed.

It was, on motion, resolved that public meetings be held this evening—one in Pittsburgh and the other in Allegheny City. Talented speeches may be looked for at these meetings, as the first orators of the Order are in attendance, among the rest James Black, Esq., of Lancaster, one of the earnest and indefatigable temperance men of our State. Governor Geary, who recently became a member of the Order of Good Templars, it was expected would be present as a visitor to this Grand Lodge session.

The meeting in this city this evening will be held in the Second Presbyterian Church, where addresses will be delivered by Rev. J. S. McKendre Riley, D. D., formerly pastor of Christ M. E. Church, Rev. E. W. Kirby, Rev. J. A. Davidson and others. In Allegheny, the meeting will be held in the South Common M. E. Church, where addresses will be delivered by Rev. J. S. McMurray, Rev. D. Bartmon, Colonel Rome and others.

Yesterday afternoon the Grand Lodge took up a handsome contribution to aid a poor member of the Order, a discharged prisoner, who wished aid to go to his friends in New York. The Grand Lodge will please excuse us for making this matter public. They have no desire to parade such deeds, but such actions tell on the outside world, and we must be excused for making it public. It is a subject of general remark among the older members of the Order that the representatives to this Grand Lodge session are men and women of first intelligence and influence, fully competent to discuss the many questions that come up for deliberation, and well calculated to give tone and character of the first session to the important work which they are associated. Among the representatives present are many clergymen, many more than at any former session. The press is also well represented. Among the editors and publishers present we noticed W. W. Bloss, Esq., of Titusville *Herald*; Azro Goff, Esq., of Erie *Daily Dispatch*, and J. H. Keatley, Esq., of *The Leader*, Hollidaysburg. The legal profession and the medical profession are largely represented. Taking the meeting as a whole it is one promising great good to the interests of the great Temperance cause, and fully demonstrating the truthfulness of the statement that the Order of Good Templars is the most powerful and popular of all the Temperance Associations.

THE COURTS.

The Meal Question—Presentment of the Grand Jury—Names of Butchers to be Indicted.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—This Court was in session yesterday, Judge Mellon on the bench, when a number of trifling cases were disposed of.

The Grand Jury, now in session, returned the following special presentment, yesterday:

SPECIAL PRESENTMENT.

To the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace for Allegheny county, of June Sessions, 1867.

To the Honorable the Judges of said Court:

The Grand Inquest now inquiring in and for the County of Allegheny, upon their oaths and solemn affirmations, respectively do present. That they have been investigating the alleged purchase and sale of diseased and unwholesome animal flesh as an article of food in the public markets and elsewhere. They have examined a large number of witnesses under oath in regard thereto, and now come into Court and make this, their presentment, against the parties named herein, and respectfully ask that the Court direct the Assistant District Attorney to prepare and submit bills of indictment against them in proper form, for selling and exposing for sale the flesh of diseased animals and other unwholesome flesh, for the action of the Grand Inquest, that they may be further dealt with according to law.

NAMES OF PARTIES.

Henry Herzhauser, alias "Dutch Henry," Jacob Meisel, Thomas Heins, Wm. Helus, John Hoffman, Jacob Haas, —— Sherman, Adam Hoffman, Andrew Kalthaler, Charles Kalthaler, Wm. Tomer, David Tomer, Wm. Bowman, Sr., George Bowman, John Bowman, Michael Schiron, J. Liebenspahr, Charles Liebenspahr, S. McCowen, Martin Grady, John Kalthaler, —— Hauser, Paul Hefty.

ELLIS R. BRUNOT, Foreman.

W. N. ODDEN, Clerk.

ORDER OF COURT.

And now, June 12, 1867, the within presentment, made in open Court by the Grand Jury, and on consideration thereof, the Court do order and direct the Assistant District Attorney for Allegheny county to prepare and submit bills of indictment against the persons named within, for the offense alleged against them severally, for the action of the Grand Jury.

BY THE COURT.

Central Board of Education.

A meeting of the Central Board of Education was held at their rooms on Tuesday evening. The members present were Messrs. Crawford, Lowe, McAuley, Nobbes, Oldshoe, Sergeant and Brush, President.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The monthly reports of the Principals of the High School, Colored School, and of the Secretary, were read and ordered to be received and filed.

Mr. Nobbs, from the special committee on that subject, reported the purchase of lots on Miller street, Seventh ward, for the site of a building for the colored school.

The following gentlemen were elected Collectors for the ensuing year: Samuel Patterson, First ward; Joseph A. Butler, Sixth ward; Thomas Neely, Eighth ward.

Mr. Nobbs, from the Committee on Text Books and Grades, reported the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is a disposition in some of the ward schools to use text books not on the list adopted by the Central Board of Education, and such being in direct violation, not only of the special law for the city of Pittsburgh, but of the general law of the State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the several Ward Boards be requested to see that the law providing for a uniformity of text books, is duly enforced in their respective schools.

On motion of John McAuley, a vacation of the city schools was authorized from the evening of Friday, 28th inst., until Monday, September 2d.

On motion adjourned.

The Sculling Championship—Card from Walter Brown.

The New York *Clipper* of this week, has the following in regard to the sculling championship:

As stakeholder in the late race between James Hamill, of Pittsburgh, and Walter Brown, of Portland, Maine, for the above honors and $1 000 a side, we have performed our duty according to the fiat of the referee, from which there could be no appeal, and handed the money to Brown's representative. In our last we published cards from Hamill and Mekeel, the latter open for ten days only, to which Brown made the following somewhat evasive response for a winner:

TO JAMES HAMILL, JOHN MEKEEL, AND ALL OTHERS: Having seen challenges from the above named parties, who wish again to test my merits as an oarsman, I take pleasure in saying, that as soon as I can make the necessary arrangements with my backers, they will hear from me. WALTER BROWN.

Champion Oarsman of America.

PORTLAND, ME., June 11th, 1867.

CONFIRMATION.—Rt. Rev. John B. Kerfoot, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Pittsburgh, will hold services and confirm a class in Trinity (P. E.) Church, Rochester, on Sunday, 23d inst., at eleven o'clock A. M.

German Catholic Verein—Last Day.

The German Catholic Central Verein held their third and last day's session in St. Philomena Hall yesterday. After the usual religious services, the convention was called to order at nine o'clock, when prayer was offered by the Rev. Father Stoller, of Syracuse, New York.

The Secretary of the Convention then read a list of delegates who represented the various local societies of different cities throughout the country, to the number of one hundred and fifteen. One delegate was present from California.

It was resolved that a committee be appointed whose duty it shall be to give useful information to emigrants, and even assist them financially if necessary. Several members spoke at some length upon this resolution.

The morning session closed with religious exercises.

The Convention re-assembled in the afternoon, but transacted no business of importance, and after the congratulations of members, adjourned *sine die*.

A number of delegates visited several places of interest during the afternoon and evening, while others took the cars on their return home.

Brutal Outrage and Attempted Suicide.

Mrs. Mary Ross, residing on Gibbon street, Eighth ward, appeared before Aldermen McMasters on Tuesday, and made information against her husband, James Ross, for aggravated assault and battery. She alleges that on Monday night her husband came home to his supper, and beat and kicked her in the most brutal manner. On her face were the marks of a boot heel, where he had stamped his boot after knocking her down. Three of her teeth had been knocked out and one of her eyes closed. She states that after thus brutally abusing her, he thrust her into the street and locked the door, keeping it locked all night. She was taken into the house of a kind neighbor, otherwise she would have had to remain in the street all night. The accused was arrested, and gave bail for a hearing yesterday morning. On the way home Mrs. Ross requested to be taken into a drug store, and while there, without the knowledge of her friend, purchased an ounce of laudanum. On reaching home she swallowed the whole amount. Afterwards she stated that she could not bear so wretched a life, and chose to die. Medical assistance was rendered, and her life was saved, but she was too ill to appear before the magistrate yesterday morning, and her husband was held to bail for court.

The Missing Lad, Jones—Probable Recovery of the Body.

We made mention in the COMMERCIAL of Monday, that in last July a boy by the name of James Jones, aged ten years, left the residence of his mother, Mrs. Catharine Jones, lying on High street, for the purpose of seeing a boat races that the last seen of him was on the day of the race, when he was observed crossing the Monongahela bridge, and that his mother, who had almost been distracted about him, would be greatly obliged to any person who could forward any information concerning him. We yesterday received the following communication, which may throw some light on the matter:

WEST NEWELLE, Ohio, June 11, 1867.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

My attention was called to a notice in your issue of the 10th inst., headed "Boy Missing."

On the 23d day of July, 1866, I was called to hold an inquest upon the body of a boy found floating in the Ohio river opposite this place, apparently about ten or twelve years of age, dark hair cut short, dark pants sewed to his shirt, no shoes, stockings, coat or vest. The body was interred in Spring Hill Cemetery, at this place. Yours, &c.,

S. B. MCKINZIE, Mayor of Wellsville.

THE STATE FAIR.—As the holding of the next State Agricultural Fair in Pittsburgh would be a great benefit to our community, and especially to the business men, they should look more to their interests and contribute more liberally if they desire it to be held here. The committee appointed by the Agricultural Society to secure the amount required by the managers of the State Fair to have the exhibition held here, are hard at work, but have not yet collected the full amount. A. Boyd Hamilton, Esq., Chairman of the Committee appointed by the State Society to select a location for the Fair, will be in the city to-day, and if the exhibition is to be held here it is desirable that the money should be collected immediately, in order that all preliminary arrangements can be made during Mr. Hamilton's stay.

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We have long known Dr. Keyser as an educated medical practitioner. We think highly of him as a gentleman of exemplary private and professional character, and, reasoning from these premises, we concluded that medicines compounded by one so thoroughly skilled and qualified could not be considered quack medicines; for an educated physician of large practice can in no sense be called a quack. But we resolved on establishing for ourselves a better criterian by an actual test of one, at least, of the Doctor's preparations, and found one of our firm who had been troubled with Chronic Diarrhœa and Dyspepsia, for two or three years, willing to try the Blood Searcher. He accordingly took in August and September last, four bottles, and was so thoroughly cured that he has experienced no recurrence of any symptom of his disease, and ascribes all the merit to the Blood Searcher.

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The Mercantile Piracy Case in Canada.

COBOURG, C. W., June 10.—The trial between the rival mercantile agencies, Dun, Wiman & Co., the same as R. G. Dun & Co., of the United States, and Bradstreet & Son, of New York, in which the latter are charged with appropriating the names and information contained in the reference book of the former, was concluded here to-day. The evidence was of the same conclusive character as that given during the previous days.

The Messrs. Bradstreet did not attempt any defense as regards copying the book, but relied entirely upon their legal right to do so, on the ground that failure to copyright the book by the plaintiffs made it public property. The plaintiffs, however, allege that their book was never published in the strict sense of the term, but was given to their subscribers under contract to keep it confidential, and to return at the expiration of the year's subscription. A nice question as to copyright law and right of authorship has thus arisen. The Chancellor reserved his judgment as to the points of law involved until the 18th inst.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 12, 1867.

It is observed that the payment of the June interest on the 7-30s, which becomes due the latter part of this week, will contribute something to the relief of the money market. The payment of the compound interest notes, amounting to some eight millions, which matured on the 10th instant, will not afford much relief, if any, to the banks, as it is pretty well known that the Government will pay a portion of the amount in National bank notes instead of all greenbacks, which, to the extent that this is going, will weaken the bank reserve—surrendering compounds which are used as reserve, and receiving currency, which is not a reserve. It is believed the banks, some of them at least, will not offer their compounds for redemption until after they make up their July statements, their retention, and the certainty of holding the required reserve, being worth more than the twenty days' loss of interest on them, attended with the uncertainty of coming up to the requirements of the law on this point in the July statement. It is also given out that the Government does not mean to give the new three per cent. compound interest notes to the city banks, but will so them revive the old system of certificates of loan, payable on demand, at say four per cent. instead of five per cent., as formerly—giving the new compounds to the country banks. Such is the intimation, and if carried out will be satisfactory to the city banks, and probably to the country banks also, as it will give to them more of interest-bearing reserve than they could otherwise hope to command. This arrangement looks ultimately to the increased ease of the money market, and to profit of the banks to the extent that the Secretary increased the amount of interest-bearing reserve.

—Several insurance stocks were offered last evening, but none elicited any bids except the People's, which at first was withdrawn under a bid of 28, but at the close of the sales was taken at 21.

—No important change is noticed in the price of governments to-day at New York. The quotations to McVay & Co., bankers, are as follows:

U. S. 6-20s, 1862	110
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U. S. 5-20s, 1864, May and November	105
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, May and November	105
U. S. 10-40s, 1864	98
U. S. 7-30 Compounds, 1865	103
Gold	137

—James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth and Wood streets, quote United States bonds at the New York rates to-day as follows:

U. S. 1881	110
U. S. 5-20s, 1862	109
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	105
U. S. 5-20s, 1865	105
U. S. 10-40s	98
U. S. 7-30 Compounds, 1865	103
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—The following is a statement of the approximate earnings of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company during the month of May ult., compared with the same period of the year 1866. The expenses for May show a decrease of over $88,000, making a decrease of net earnings of only $16,000 for May.

	1867.	1866.	Inc.	Dec.
Passengers	$ 109,561 61	$ 93,000 00	$ 16,561 61	
Freight	376,977 46	377,253 00		$ 275 54
Mail	8,267 00	8,133 00	134 00	
Express	5,000 00	5,000 00		
Rent	2,741 85	2,655 99	85 86	
Total	$ 502,547 92	$ 485,041 99	$ 16,781 47	$ 275 54
Net Increase				$ 16,233 93

—The New York railway share market has been on the whole strong, and it is said there are combinations at work to advance the price of several of the leading stocks in anticipation of an improved movement arising from legitimate causes after the crop prospects become more certain of realization. These cliques are, however, composed of men who are financially weak, and moreover contented with very small profits, and liable to be broken up at any moment. Their influence upon the course of prices is very transient, and their previous efforts have been attended with failures. They possess and impart the speculative spirit, however, to a moderate extent for the force of example is always felt, and the more they enlist on their side the more successful they are likely to be. Speculation for a rise on the Stock Exchange at present labors under the important disadvantage of being without outside support, in the absence of which there can be no upward movement of magnitude. At the same time, with the margin for a decline is small in view of all the circumstances affecting the market. Wall street is, with a number of exceptions, poor, and the poorest of the poor are now heading this bull movement. The series of panics which commenced in October last left the guiding lights of speculation shorn of their power, and they are now essaying to recover it. Hitherto their attempts have only proved a delusion and a snare to the street; but perseverance deserves its reward, and if they persevere long enough they will be certain of success.

—The Chicago *Tribune* of yesterday says: The failure of William R. Stone, one of our largest commission merchants, was announced to-day, causing no little excitement in grain and financial circles. Mr. Stone has for several years enjoyed a large share of the Iowa trade, and his house had the reputation of being one of the strongest in the city, but owing to unfortunate speculations in corn and other property, and the failure of the country correspondents to keep their margins good, he also was obliged to suspend. This morning he made an assignment to R. F. Wyman, for the benefit of his creditors, to whom he is indebted in nearly $60,000. The assets foot up some $80,000, but many of them are believed to be worthless. We understand the available assets will pay 40 or 50c on the dollar.

—A correspondent of an Eastern journal remarks as follows about the banks of Milwaukee: There are four National Banks in Milwaukee, none of which are doing a very good business. The old banks established and working under the State law, seem to have worked themselves into public favor, and they are generally patronized in preference to the National Banks, whose boards of management are more or less new in the business, and consequently inexperienced. Indeed, they are so much in disfavor that in Milwaukee the National Bank system is considered a failure, and many now connected with them would willingly retire did a favorable opportunity present itself. As a general thing they are conducted with considerable caution, as they are not in a condition to permit their officers to take outsiderisks. There are vague rumors afloat of irregularities in the interior working of some of the institutions, but a hurried investigation failed to confirm these reports, excepting in one instance. The usual dividends have been about 12 to 14 per cent per year.

—The Philadelphia Bank exhibits present a more favorable aspect than that of the previous week. The deposits show the heavy augmentation of $8,920,470, while in the previous statement they exhibited a diminution of $446,659. The loans have been expanded $410,816; last week they presented a contraction of $788,862. The specie has been augmented by $12,222, against last week's decrease of $34,740. The legal tenders have fallen off $88,889, against an increase last week of $140,991. The circulation has been enlarged by $5,485, its increase last week was $1,062. The clearings show an increase of $8,012,999; while the balances have fallen off $93,260.

—A St. Louis journal says: Of the notes of the old "Bank of the State of Missouri," which went out of existence in 1857, and whose currency was barred in 1860, there is still about about $60,000 worth. The now existing Bank of the State of Missouri, lately organized as the "National Bank of the State of Missouri," agree to redeem this issue together with all of their own afloat, now amounting to about $700,000.

—Mining shares are firmer, and are quite active. The interest centers mainly in Copper Falls, Franklin, Hancock, Allouez and Huron. Each of these copper is in the hands of operators who have yet some considerable faith in Lake property. We give the grand result of last week's labor in the mines' line, in the usual place.—*Boston Bulletin.*

—S. S. Bryan, Broker in Government, Railway and other Bonds, and Bank and Railway Stocks, &c., Apollo Building, Fourth street. Orders for the purchase and sale of stocks executed at the New York, Philadelphia, and Boston Stock Boards at the regular rates of commission current in those cities.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, THURSDAY EVENING, June 13, 1867.

There was only a very moderate business done today in our grain market. Flour was more brisk and market more settled. Choice coffee was firm but low grades have declined. The fruit trade was weak and prices have declined. There is very little doing in grain of any kind.

The receipts of some of the leading articles of produce per river and rail, since our last were as follows: Flour, 434 bbls; apples, 21 bbls; cheese, 235 boxes; corn, 1,724 sacks; barley 1,570 sacks; rye 205 sacks; oats, 2,358 sacks.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale prices, from first hands:

APPLES—A few sales were made of choice at $10 ₱ bbl. There are very few in market.

BEANS—Market bare of choice small white beans, which are quoted at $3 50 ₱ bushel.

BUTTER—The packages received are generally in such bad condition that sales can only be made at nominal prices. We quote as in to-day's ₱ lb. The average sale to-day did not reach 5 ₱ lb from store.

CHEESE—Western Reserve may be quoted at 13@ 15c ₱ lb, and Goshen at 20c ₱ lb. The receipts have been large and the market dull.

DRIED FRUITS—Prices of apples and peaches are nominal, and the market very dull. We quote apples as selling at 6@6½c, and peaches at 10@12c ₱ lb.

EGGS—The receipts are small, and prices have lately advanced. We quote them in demand from store at 15c ₱ doz.

FLOUR—There was a rather better trade done today. The market was more settled and some dealers were selling to arrive this afternoon. We quote the following as the ruling prices: Superfine, $8 50@ 9 00; extra, $9 00@9 50; extra family, $9 50@10 00; fancy brands, $10 00@11 00; Minnesota, $11 00@12 00.

GRAIN—We quote as follows for spot delivery: Corn, 80@85c ₱ bushel; oats, 60@65c; rye, 120@ 125c; barley, 150@160c; buckwheat, $2 50@2 75 ₱ bushel.

HAY—Baled has declined $2, and by the wagon load prices may now be quoted at $26@28 00.

HOPS—Are in demand at 30@35c ₱ lb.

PROVISIONS—Are in demand by dealers at higher prices for C. Hams, 9½@10c for shoulders; Hams for sugar cured Pittsburg, 13½@14c; dried beef, 12c; Shoulders, 7½@8c; Clear Sides, 10½@11c; Mess Pork, $20 00@20 50; Lard, 10@10½c.

POTATOES—Are selling at 50@60c ₱ bushel.

SEEDS—Timothy, $4 00; other choice brands, $4 00@ 4 50; Clover, 10@12c ₱ lb.

TALLOW—Rendered, 7@7½c; common, 6½@7c.

WOOL—Unwashed, 30@35c; tub washed, 45@50c; Fleece washed, 50@55c.

WHISKEY—Pure white wine, 31@32c; common grades, 30@31c.

Fish—No. 1 Shore Mackerel, $22; No. 1 Bay, do, $20; No. 2 Bay, do, $17; No. 3 large do, $15; Lake Trout, $7 50; Lake Herring, $5 50@6; Salmon Trout, $7 50@8.

Spices—English Bimbrake, 30c.

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Soap—Castile, 20c; Gamble's Olive, 10c; Babbett's, 12½c; Gamble's, 10c.

Lye—Concentrated Lye, $6 50@8 50.

Candles—Pearl & Gamble's star candles, 22c.

Foreign Wines in New York.

Moet & Chandon's green seal, ₱ case, $27 50; do Verzenay brand, $26; Heidsick & Co.'s, do $30; Heidsick, dry, do $30; Heidsick, green seal, do $31; Moose Claret, do do, $9; Burgundy Claret, do do, $9; Chambertin, $7 50.

Philadelphia Grocery Market.

There is a fair business doing at full prices. Coffee is steady at 19½@19½c for fair to prime Rio, and 20½@21c for Laguayra. Sugar is firm at 12½@13c for fair to prime refining, and 13½@14c for prime to choice. Molasses is steady at 70@75c for Cuba, and 80@85c for New Orleans.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, THURSDAY, June 13, 1867.

The demand for crude pet